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TO:

Each Health Deputy

FROM:

Wayne K. Sugita, M.P.A., Acting Director Alcohol and Drug Program Administration

SUBJECT:

FUNDING AUGMENTATION FOR CHANGING STEPS,

CONTRACT NO. PH-000457

This is to inform you that we plan to amend the County estimated maximum obligation and corresponding maximum allocation for Changing Steps using the delegated authority granted by the Board on June 10, 2008 (Board Agenda Synopsis #31). This agency's agreement provides flexibility to adjust funding allocations, and contains provisions that authorize the Director of Public Health or his designee to make such funding changes.

I am recommending this funding increase based on the Sobky v. Smoley court litigation which allowed agencies to request additional funds to cover persons eligible for Drug/Medi-Cal services. The current and proposed funding amount is as indicated in the following attachments:

Attachment 1 - Description of the services affected by this amendment Attachment 2 - Agency's current and proposed funding amounts

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

WKS:fg

Attachments

c: Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H. Tami Omoto-Frias Paul H.S. Kim Jonathan E. Freedman Wendy Schwartz



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## Drug/Medi-Cal Services - Description

## Outpatient Drug Free Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal)

Outpatient drug free services include crisis intervention, counseling, and client referral services for people who are Medi-Cal eligible. Clients receive counseling at least twice within each thirty (30) day period.

## CHANGING STEPS FUNDING INFORMATION

## **ATTACHMENT 2**

							Original Board-Approved	Current Funding Allocation	Proposed Funding Allocation	
Contract #	Fac #	Site Address	<u>SPA</u>	<u>SUP</u>	Modality Desc	Modality	Amount	FY 2008-11	FY 2008-11	<b>Variation</b>
PH-000457A	1	5151 South Western Avenue Los Angeles CA 90062	6	2	Outpatient Drug Free Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal)	ODF (DMC)	\$668,000	\$668,000	\$828,000	\$160,000
PH-000457A	2	5655 Lindero Canyon Road #302 Westlake Village CA 91362	2	3	Outpatient Drug Free Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal)	ODF (DMC)				
PH-000457A	3	14540 West Hamlin Street #B Van Nuys CA 91411	2	3	Outpatient Drug Free Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal)	ODF (DMC)				
PH-000457B	l	5151 South Western Avenue Los Angeles CA 90062	6	2	Day Care Habilitative Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal)	DCH (DMC)	\$488,000	\$488,000	\$488,000	\$0
PH-000457B	2	5655 Lindero Canyon Road #302 Westlake Village CA 91362	2	3	Day Care Habilitative Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal)	DCH (DMC)				
PH-000457B	3	14540 West Hamlin Street #B Van Nuys CA 91411	2	3	Day Care Habilitative Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal)	DCH (DMC)				
PH-000457C	1	5151 South Western Avenue Los Angeles CA 90062 14540 West Hamlin Street #B	6	2	Perinatal Outpatient Drug Free Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal)	PODF (DMC)	\$45,448	\$45,448	\$45,448	\$0
PH-000457C	2	Van Nuys CA 91411 5151 South Western Avenue	2	3	Perinatal Outpatient Drug Free Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal	) PODF (DMC)				
PH-000457D	1	Los Angeles CA 90062 14540 West Hamlin Street #B	6	2	Perinatal Day Care Habilitative Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal	. , ,		\$120,000	\$120,000	\$0
PH-000457D	2	Van Nuys CA 91411	2	3	Perinatal Day Care Habilitative Services (Federal Drug/Medi-Cal	) PDCH (DMC)				
							\$1,269,353	\$1,321,448	\$1,481,448	\$160,000